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SHIELD PRODUCED BY THIS METHOD

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Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Please amend the application as follows prior to examination on the merits.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel claims 2-28 of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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